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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	Board of Massage and Bodywork
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Thursday, September 20, 2018, 1:30pm
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B, Second Floor, Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED:	

MEMBERS PRESENT

Kathy Sherwin, Public Member, Secretary
Frank Beebe, Public Member
Sandra Jachimowski, Professional Member
Jermaine Cannon, Vice President
Danielle DiFonzo, President

MEMBERS ABSENT

Ethel Loesche, Public Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL/COURT REPORTER

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General
Gina A. Bloom, Administrative Specialist II
Jessica Mason, DPR

OTHERS PRESENT

Holly Overmyer
Jeffrey S. Goddess, Esq.
Khalil Abdul-Mahid
Aimee Moulder, LMT
Zoe Pierhoples Deputy Attorney General

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. DiFonzo called the meeting to order at 1:39 pm.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

Mr. Cannon made a motion to approve the minutes of the August 16, 2018 meeting. The motion was seconded by Mr. Beebe and carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Nothing was noted.

NEW BUSINESS

Review and Consideration of Hearing Officer Recommendation and Written Exceptions in the Khalil Abdul-Majid disciplinary matter:

Board President, Danielle DiFonzo recused herself from participating in deliberations as she was the contact person for this matter. Zoe Pierhoples, Deputy Attorney General for the State and Jeffrey S Goddess, Esquire, attorney for Mr. Abdul-Mahid, addressed the Board. After deliberations, Mr. Cannon moved to amend the recommended discipline it to 10 years of probation with the following conditions:

Supervised practice with a LMT if practicing on female clients outside of an institutional setting
Mr. Majid must take 2 two hour Draping classes with 2 different providers in Tri-State area with hands on training and must provide certificates within 120 days.

Must complete 6 hours of Ethics continuing education and he will be audited bi-annually.
The motion carried unanimously.

Continuing Education:

Ms. Jachimowski motioned to approve the following requests to provide continuing education for the 2018-2020 time period, which was seconded by Mr. Cannon: Tranquil Spirit to provide 13 hours coursework in Reflexology, Reiki Level 1, Level 2, Reiki Karuna Master Level 1 and Reiki ART/Master Level. CE approvals submitted by Marie Batman were also approved to provide 4 hours of coursework in Massage Techniques for Lower Back Pain. The motion carried.

Ratification of New Applications:

A motion was made by Ms. Jachimowski, seconded by Ms. Sherwin, to approve the ratification of the following applications:

MC-0004778 Leon Martinez, Alondra E Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004779 Flanigan, Amy L Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004780 Gagnier, Drakeston L Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004781 Simmons, Diane Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004782 Thaxton, Adele R Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004783 Schwaninger, Cami N Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004784 Connell, Sara R Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004785 Conner, Sara M Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004786 Elliott, Kaya A Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004787 Bryant, Christine M Certified Massage Technician

MC-0004788	Carpenter, Dorothy Jean	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004789	Lindsay, Lisa M.	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004795	Townsend, Eunice F.	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004796	Wesser, Amber L	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004798	Dong, Hong	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004799	Gibson, Kinsalynn Nuria	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004800	Fan, Lulu	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004801	Ghebrehiwot, Amarech T	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004802	Demby, Morgyn Taylor	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004803	Murray, Casey N	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004804	Ma, Qin	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004805	Ge, Li	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004806	Castoire, Gitali G	Certified Massage Technician
MT-0004790	Miller, Saorong Elizabeth	Licensed Massage Therapist
MT-0004791	Todd, Larissa M	Licensed Massage Therapist
MT-0004792	Kern, Charles A	Licensed Massage Therapist
MT-0004793	Clouse, Evelyn C	Licensed Massage Therapist
MT-0004794	Meehl, Bernadette Marie	Licensed Massage Therapist
MT-0004797	Amos, Shaina M	Licensed Massage Therapist
MZ-0000062	Integrated Restorative Massage Therapy LLC	Massage Establishment
MZ-0000063	Spirits Path to Wellness	Massage Establishment

The motion carried unanimously.

Applications for Deputy Attorney General Review

Motion was made by Ms. Sherwin, seconded by Mr. Beebe to grant a waiver and accept the applications of Fang Luo and Aixiang Kong. The motion carried.

Board Representation at FSMBT

Motion was made by Ms. Jachimowski, seconded by Ms. DiFozio to allow the Delaware Board of Massage and Bodywork to be represented by Public Board Member, Kathy Sherwin. The motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

Ms. Sherwin motioned to approve Shirae Aikens-Mobray's request for extension of 1 year to complete CE's. The motion was seconded by Mr. Beebe and carried. Mr. Beebe motioned to extend Willie McDaniel's completion date for CE's until 12/31/18, which was seconded by Ms. Sherwin and carried. Motion was made by Ms. DiFozio, seconded by Mr. Beebe to extend CE completion until 12/31/18 and the motion carried.

A letter was submitted to the Board by Ms. Gennarini concerning Public Health Regulations and was reviewed without commentary.

Other Business Before the Board (for Discussion Only)

There was no further discussion by the Board.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for October 18, 2018 at 1:30 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made by Mr. Beebe, seconded by Ms. Sherwin, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting went off record and adjourned at 3:28 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Gina A. Bloom
Administrative Specialist II